

DEAF SERVICES

CITY & COUNTY OF HONOLULU

Aloha State Association of the Deaf (ASAD)

P.O. Box 88591
Honolulu, HI 96830
Phone: (808) 951-1040 (TTY)
(808) 951-1050 (Fax)
Website: www.asadhawaii.org

Sponsors cultural and social events for persons interested in the Deaf community. Publishes a bi-monthly newsletter.

American Sign Language Interpreter Education Program

Kapiolani Community College
4303 Diamond Head Road
Honolulu, HI 96816
Phone: (808) 734-9154 (V/TTY)
(808) 734-9979 (Fax)
E-mail: ifried@hawaii.edu
Website: www.kcc.hawaii.edu

Offers American Sign Language classes to the general public. Provides educational and training opportunities to people interested in becoming Sign Language/English Interpreters, as well as professional development for working interpreters. Also offers in-service training to organizations serving people who are Deaf and hard of hearing.

Department of Education Community Education Section

475 22nd Avenue
Building 302, Suite 124
Honolulu, HI 96816
Phone: (808) 735-8371 (V)
(808) 735-8375 (Fax)

Provides Sign Language courses at night through adult education at high school campuses on Oahu.

Department of Education Hawaii Center for the Deaf and the Blind (HCDB)

3440 Leahi Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815
Phone: (808) 733-4999 (V/TTY)
(808) 733-7820 (V/TTY)
(808) 733-4824 (Fax)

Provides diagnostic and prescriptive services to all students in the state with hearing impairments. Provides a day or boarding educational setting for students, as appropriate, statewide.

**Department of Health
Children with Special Health Needs
Administration**

741 Sunset Avenue

Honolulu, HI 96816

Phone: (808) 733-9055 (V)

Website: www.hawaii.gov/health/family

Provides treatment and rehabilitation services for children with eligible conditions who are unable to obtain care because of financial hardships. Hearing aids, speech-language therapy, otolaryngological and audiological evaluations available. There may be a financial eligibility requirement.

**Department of Health
Early Intervention Section
Baby HEARS Project**

1350 South King Street, #200

Honolulu, HI 96814

Phone: (808) 594-0033 (V/TTY)

(808) 594-0015 (Fax)

The Newborn Hearing Screening Program has a hearing aid loaner bank for children enrolled in the early intervention programs. Program has hearing aids and a FM system loaner bank so that children with hearing loss can receive services while waiting for insurance approval.

**Department of Human Services
Vocational Rehabilitation and
Services for the Blind
Division, Deaf Services Section**

600 Kapiolani Blvd., Suite 306

Honolulu, HI 96813

Phone: (808) 587-5660 (V/TTY)

(866) 547-7182 (VP)

(808) 586-5785 (Fax)

Provides a rehabilitation counselor who specializes in job training and job placement for persons who are Deaf, hard of hearing, and deaf-blind.

**Disability and Communication Access
Board (DCAB)**

919 Ala Moana Blvd., Suite 101

Honolulu, HI 96814

Phone: (808) 586-8121

(808) 984-2400 (x6-8121) (V)
(Maui)

(808) 274-3141 (x6-8121) (V)
(Kauai)

(808) 974-4000 (x6-8121) (V)
(Hawaii)

(800) 468-4644 (V)

(Lanai, Molokai) (Toll Free)

E-mail: dcab@doh.hawaii.gov

Website: www.hawaii.gov/health/dcab

Establishes and disseminates guidelines for the utilization of Sign Language Interpreters in state programs and activities. Provides systems advocacy for issues related to persons who are Deaf, hard of hearing or deaf-blind. Administers the Hawaii Quality Assurance System to credential Sign Language Interpreters. Provides a list of credentialed Sign Language interpreters upon request.

**Hawaii Centers for Independent Living
(HCIL) - Hauula**

54-113 Kawaipuna Street

Hauula, HI 96717

Phone: (808) 293-9775 (V)

(808) 293-1742 (Fax)

E-mail: hcilhaaula001@hawaii.rr.com

Provides an Independent Living Specialist who works specifically with consumers who are deaf and hard of hearing by providing support services to live independently and in the community.

Website: www.myhcil.com

Hawaii Centers for Independent Living (HCIL) - Honolulu

414 Kuwili Street, Suite 102

Honolulu, HI 96817

Phone: (808) 522-5400 (V)
(808) 536-5415 (TTY)
(808) 522-5427 (Fax)

E-mail: hcilhaaula001@hawaii.rr.com

Website: www.myhcil.com

Provides an Independent Living Specialist who works specifically with consumers who are Deaf and hard of hearing by providing support services to live independently and in the community.

Hawaii Interpreting Services

Phone: (808) 394-7706 (V)

E-mail: Sabina@interpretinghawaii.com

Website: www.interpretinghawaii.com

Maintains interpreter referral services for agencies and individuals in need of Sign Language Interpreting or captioning services.

Hawaii Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf (HRID)

P.O. Box 30411

Honolulu, HI 96820

Phone: (808) 428-0734 (V)

Administers the RID national testing system to certify interpreters and provides a registry of local interpreters to the public upon request.

Island Skill Gathering (ISG)

3472 Kanaina Avenue

Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 732-4622 (V/TTY)
(808) 739-5464 (Fax)

E-mail: isg@aloha.net

Website: www.isghawaii.com

Offers an array of support services and product sales (assistive technology) for people who are Deaf, hard of hearing, and have speech disabilities such as TTYs (text telephones), FM listening systems and telephone/doorbell alerting systems. Also offers repair services for specific brands of TTYs.

Kapiolani Deaf Center

4303 Diamond Head Road, Manono 102

Honolulu, HI 96816

Phone: (808) 734-9210 (V/TTY)
(808) 734-9238 (Fax)

E-mail: mfung@hawaii.edu

Offers a continuing education program and resource center for adults who are Deaf and hard of hearing, their families and friends, and people who work with them. Established in cooperation with Gallaudet University in Washington, D.C. and the University of Hawaii. Also sponsors a lending library of assistive devices.

Signs of Self

1481 S. King Street, #544

Honolulu, HI 96814

Phone: (808) 382-3881 (V/Text)
(866) 763-7459 (VP)

E-mail: ilservices@signsofself.org

Website: www.signsofself.org

Provides independent living services for people who are deaf, hard-of-hearing, and deaf-blind.

Sorenson Communications

4192 S. Riverboat Road
Salt Lake City, UT 84123

Phone: (801) 265-3373

E-mail: Wjensen1@sorenson.com

Website: www.sorenson.com

Provides video relay service (interpreter by videophone).

Sprint Relay Hawaii**Telecommunications Relay Service**

925 Dillingham Blvd., Suite 126
Honolulu, HI 96817

Phone: 711 (Relay Service)

(877) 447-5992 (Voice Carry
Over)

(877) 447-8711 (Speech to
Speech)

(800) 357-5169 (Relay Program
Manager) (Toll Free)

(866) 835-8169 (TTY)

(866) 410-4256 (Fax)

Videophone: ltom.mysprint.tv

E-mail: lisa.l.tom@sprint.com

Website: www.relayhawaiiitty.com

Provides 24-hour telecommunications relay services for telephone customers who are Deaf and or speech impaired statewide, allowing for equal access to telephone services for people with and without TTYs.

COUNTY OF HAWAII

Department of Education**Hilo Community School for Adults**

450 Waianae Avenue, Suite C-3
Hilo, HI 96720

Phone: (808) 974-4100 (V)

(808) 974-6170 (Fax)

Provides Sign Language classes at night through adult education at various high school campuses.

Department of Education**Kona Community School for Adults**

74-5000 Puohulihui Street
Kailua-Kona, HI 96740

Phone: (808) 327-4692 (V)

(808) 327-4693 (Fax)

Provides Sign Language classes at night through adult education at various high school campuses.

**Department of Human Services
Vocational Rehabilitation and Services
for the Blind Division**

75 Aupuni Street, Suite 110

Hilo, HI 96720

Phone: (808) 974-6444 (V/TTY)

(808) 974-6450 (Fax)

Provides general caseload counselors who do job training and job placement for persons who are Deaf and hard of hearing.

**Department of Human Services
Vocational Rehabilitation and Services
for the Blind Division**

Kona Field Office

P.O. Box 459

Captain Cook, HI 96704

Phone: (808) 323-0025 (V)

(808) 323-0028 (Fax)

Provides general caseload counselors who do job training and job placement for Deaf and hard of hearing persons.

**Hawaii Centers for Independent Living
(HCIL) - Hilo**

1055 Kinoole Street, Suite 105

Hilo, HI 96720

Phone: (808) 935-3777 (V)

(808) 935-7888 (TTY)

(808) 961-6737 (Fax)

E-mail: leonas@pacificil.org

Website: www.myhcil.com

Provides an Independent Living Specialist who works specifically with consumers who are Deaf and hard of hearing by providing support services to live independently and in the community.

COUNTY OF KAUAI

**Department of Education
Kauai Community School for Adults**

3607A Lala Road, Room P-12

Lihue, HI 96766

Phone: (808) 274-3390 (V)

(808) 274-3393 (Fax)

Provides referral services for education opportunities for adults seeking to improve communication skills through American Sign language. Coordinates course set-up for Sign Language class, if sufficient interest is indicated.

**Easter Seals Hawaii
Kauai Early Intervention Program**

3115 Akahi Street

Lihue, HI 96766

Phone: (808) 245-7141 (V/TTY)

(808) 245-6246 (Fax)

E-mail: Kate@EasterSealsHawaii.org

Website: www.EasterSealsHawaii.org

Provides hearing screening by appointment for persons 0-3 years of age.

**Hawaii Centers for Independent Living
(HCIL) - Kauai**

P.O. Box 3529

Lihue United Church

4340 Nawiliwili Road

Lihue, HI 96766

Phone: (808) 245-4034 (V/TTY)

(808) 245-7218 (Fax)

E-mail: faithg@pacificil.org

Website: www.myhcil.com

Provides an Independent Living Specialist who works specifically with consumers who are Deaf and hard of hearing by providing support services to live independently and in the community.

COUNTY OF MAUI

**Department of Health
Children with Special Health Needs,
Maui**

54 High Street

Wailuku, HI 96793

Phone: (808) 984-2130 (V)

(800) 468-4644 (x. 3-9055) (V)

(from Molokai & Lanai)

(808) 984-8222 (Fax)

Provides diagnostic evaluations of children from birth to 21 years suspected of having physically disabling conditions. Treatment and rehabilitation services available for children with eligible conditions who are unable to obtain care because of financial hardships. Hearing aids, speech-language therapy, otolaryngological and audiological evaluations available. There may be a financial eligibility requirement.

**Hawaii Centers for Independent Living
(HCIL) – Maui**

220 Imikala Street Suite 103

Wailuku, HI 96793

Phone: (808) 242-4966 (V)

(808) 242-4968 (TTY)

(808) 244-6978 (Fax)

E-mail: terril@pacificil.org

Website: www.myhcil.com

Provides an Independent Living Specialist who works specifically with consumers who are Deaf and hard of hearing by providing support services to live independently and in the community.